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**PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

NICHOLAS ALEXANDER RUTTER, ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/937,450

Filed: September 25, 2001

For: SMOKE DETECTOR HOUSING

Group Art Unit: 2632

Examiner: Nguyen, Phung

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action in the above-identified application and the following:

- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☒ Additional fees are required as calculated and shown below:

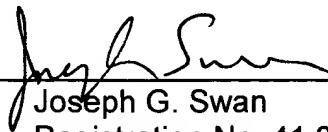
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Small Entity Rate	Small Entity Fee	Large Entity Rate	Large Entity Fee
Total	15	20	0	x \$9.00		x \$18.00	
Independent	4	3	1	x \$44.00	44.00	x \$88.00	
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				x \$150.00		x \$300.00	
				TOTAL:	44.00	TOTAL:	

- A Petition for [ X ] One; [ ] Two; [ ] Three Month Extension of Time and the requisite small entity fee of \$55.00 is being filed concurrently herewith.
- Other attachments: Check in the amount of \$44.00 for 1 extra independent claim.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3735. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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